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**LYN BICH-QUY LE, DONALD MACLEOD, and ANTHONY J. AIELLO**Title: ***DISTORTION FREE LASER WELDED FLUID BEARING DESIGN***

Enclosed are also:

7 Sheets of drawings, Formal   , Informal XX  
 An Assignment of the invention to:  
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